REMARKS

Claims 21-29 and 33-47 remain in this application. Claims 1-20 and 30-32 have been cancelled without prejudice. Claims 33-47 have been added. Claims 21-22 and 24-28 have been amended. The amendments have not been made within view to overcoming any prior art of which the Applicants are aware, or that has been cited by the United States Patent And Trademark Office. Rather, the amendments have been made with a view to modifying the form of the claims. The added claims and the amended claims are supported by the specification and no new matter has been added. The Applicants respectfully request consideration of this application in view of the above amendments and the following remarks.

Conclusion

It is believed that all pending claims patentably define the subject invention over the prior art of record and are in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request that the claims be allowed at the earliest possible date.

Request For Telephone Interview

The Examiner is invited to call Brent E. Vecchia at (303) 740-1980 if there remains any issue with allowance of the case.

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